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Incidents/Articles of Note:

Police

- [Crime In Virginia: Violent Offenses Decrease Overall, But Homicides Increase](#)
- [HIS Sells Arrests 12, Dismantles Human Smuggling Network](#)
- [Police Foundation Links 'Defund' Movement To An Increase In Police Officer Attacks](#)
- [Thirty-Seven U.S. Police Officers Were Murdered In The First Five Months Of 2021](#)
- [4 mass shootings in 6 hours leave 38 wounded, 6 dead across US](#)
- [Maine House votes to eliminate police data sharing center](#)

Fire

- [New NFPA Standard For Rugged Portable Radios](#)
- [PA Firefighter Saved After Floor Gives Out During Fire](#)
- [Massive Illinois Chemical Plant Fire Could Burn For Days](#)

TOOLS AND RESOURCES



Training | USSS

June 29th 2021 | 12:00 -3:30pm EST

Encore Event: Averting Targeted School Violence

Please join the U.S. Secret Service National Threat Assessment Center (NTAC) for a presentation on our latest study, *Averting Targeted School Violence: A U.S. Secret Service Analysis of Plots Against Schools*. This study examines 67 disrupted plots against K-12 schools and highlights the importance of proactive reporting and intervention.

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Training | Homeland Security Today

June 24th 2021 | 11:30 - 1:00pm EST

Protecting Federal Facilities: Interagency Security Committee Standard

The Risk Management Process for Federal Facilities: An Interagency Security Committee Standard (RMP), 2021 Edition defines the criteria and processes that those responsible for a federal facility's security should use in determining its security level. This standard provides an integrated, single source of physical security countermeasures and guidance on countermeasure customization for all nonmilitary federal facilities.

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Resource | First Responders Toolbox

Possible Indicators of Criminal Offenders Mobilizing to Violent Extremism

A review of cases during the past several years indicates that some criminal offenders may be susceptible to radicalization and mobilization to the full spectrum of violent extremism possibly because of shared drivers and/or motivations between violent extremism and criminal activity.

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Resource| National Lightning Safety Council

Lightning Safety Week

June 20th-26th is National Lightning Safety Week. The National Weather Service in partnership with the National Lightning and Safety Council have teamed up to provide you with safety messages for you and your community. Each day has its own message that you can use on your social media accounts.

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